

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY
DEPARTMENT OF SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY
(NRDMS DIVISION)

**Call for proposal for R&D Projects
for the Scheduled Caste/Tribal Sub-Plans under NRDMS Programme**

Advertisement to be uploaded in DST/NRDMS website for seeking R&D Proposals for Scheduled Caste/Tribal Sub-Plans under NRDMS Programme are as under :

Introduction:

The Department of Science & Technology under its Natural Resource Data Management System (NRDMS) programme has been promoting and supporting R & D projects related to development of natural resources databases, spatial data infrastructure (SDI) and associated applications. The programme aims at strengthening R&D in specifically identified areas to demonstrate the application of geospatial techniques for efficient planning. With these objectives in mind and to provide initial thrust to create awareness among different stake holders about potential of this technology as a rewarding and satisfying career option, this department proposes to shortlist R&D proposals for the benefit of Scheduled Caste/Tribal Communities for Socio-Economic Development.

Information to be provided in the proposal:

For submission of the proposal, format can be downloaded from the website www.nrdms.gov.in.

Who can submit the proposal ?

It can be submitted by Faculty Members, Scientists/Engineers /Technologists working in P.G. College/UGC recognized Universities/National institutions/recognized NGOs etc. specifically serving for the benefit of Scheduled Caste/Tribal Communities only in order to ensure that its benefits shall attribute towards their Socio-Economic Development of these communities.

Last date for receipt of proposals for current year is 30th November, 2014 Screened in proposals will be considered by DST for support.

The proposals may be forwarded with following guidelines and duly forwarded by Head of the Institute/University:

1. Title of the Proposal
2. Name of the PI (Coordinator)/Institute
3. Objectives of the Proposal
4. Annual Action Plan
5. Planned benefit for the Scheduled Caste/Tribal Communities
6. Impact likely to be made in the area
7. Endorsement of the Head of Department and PI in the specific format

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8. Quotations for the equipments, if required.
9. Undertaking from the PI to ensure the benefits shall go in favour of Scheduled Caste/Tribal Communities only.
10. Details of the bank Account and other required details for the transfer of funds in case, your project is approved by the Committee as follows:
 - a. *Name of the account holder*
 - b. *Name of the Bank and Branch*
 - c. *Account Number (Saving Bank only)*
 - d. *IFSC Code and MICR No.*(funds will be transferred only in the college/university/institute accounts and not in individual account)

Proforma of application for R&D projects can be downloaded from the website of NRDMS Division of DST: (www.nrdms.gov.in). For any other query and submission of Proposal be made to:

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